



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 1074

January Session, 2003

AN ACT CONCERNING CHILDHOOD NUTRITION.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2004*) (a) For the purposes of this
2 section:

3 (1) "Chewing gum" means a flavored product made from natural or
4 synthetic gums and other ingredients which forms an insoluble mass
5 for chewing.

6 (2) "Soda water" means a beverage that does not contain alcohol
7 and that is made by absorbing carbon dioxide in potable water. Soda
8 water includes, but is not limited to, a beverage that contains added
9 natural or artificial sweeteners or discrete nutrients such as vitamins,
10 minerals or protein.

11 (3) "Water ice" means a food that is prepared from the same
12 ingredients and in the same manner prescribed in 21 CFR 135.140 for
13 sherbets, except that the mix need not be pasteurized, and that
14 complies with all the provisions of 21 CFR 135.140, including the
15 requirements for label statement of ingredients, except that no milk or
16 milk-derived ingredient and no egg ingredient, other than egg white,
17 is used.

18 (4) "Candy" means any food item containing more than forty per
19 cent added sugar by weight.

20 (b) No local or regional board of education shall allow the sale of the
21 following items to students on school premises, except in connection
22 with a fund raising activity on behalf of a charitable organization or in
23 connection with the National School Lunch Program or a school
24 breakfast or lunch program established pursuant to section 10-215 of
25 the general statutes:

26 (1) Chewing gum, soda water, and water ice;

27 (2) Candy;

28 (3) Any juice product that contains less than thirty-five per cent full-
29 strength juice by volume; or

30 (4) Any other item, except seeds and nuts, that contains more than
31 eight grams total fat and five grams of saturated fat per one ounce
32 serving.

33 (c) The State Board of Education, in consultation with the
34 Department of Public Health, may, pursuant to the provisions of
35 chapter 54 of the general statutes, adopt regulations concerning the
36 implementation and enforcement of the provisions of this section.

37 Sec. 2. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2005*) (a) For the purposes of this
38 section:

39 (1) "Chewing gum" means a flavored product made from natural or
40 synthetic gums and other ingredients which forms an insoluble mass
41 for chewing.

42 (2) "Soda water" means a beverage that does not contain alcohol
43 and that is made by absorbing carbon dioxide in potable water. Soda
44 water includes, but is not limited to, a beverage that contains added
45 natural or artificial sweeteners or discrete nutrients such as vitamins,
46 minerals or protein.

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48 ingredients and in the same manner prescribed in 21 CFR 135.140 for

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57 following items to students on school premises, except in connection
58 with a fund raising activity on behalf of a charitable organization or in
59 connection with the National School Lunch Program or a school
60 breakfast or lunch program established pursuant to section 10-215 of
61 the general statutes:

62 (1) Chewing gum, soda water, and water ice;

63 (2) Candy;

64 (3) Any juice product that contains less than thirty-five per cent full-
65 strength juice by volume;

66 (4) Any item containing hydrogenated or partially hydrogenated
67 oil;or

68 (5) Any other item, except seeds and nuts, that contains more than
69 eight grams total fat and five grams of saturated fat per one ounce
70 serving.

71 (c) The State Board of Education, in consultation with the
72 Department of Public Health, may, pursuant to the provisions of
73 chapter 54 of the general statutes, adopt regulations concerning the
74 implementation and enforcement of the provisions of this section.

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	July 1, 2004

Sec. 2	July 1, 2005
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